

Plants of South Eastern New South Wales



Flowering plants. Photographer Richard Hartland, Parwan, Vic



Flowering plant. Photographer Don Wood, Australian National Botanic Gardens, Canberra

Common name

Lemon beauty-heads

Family

Asteraceae

Where found

Woodland and **grassland**. ACT. Tablelands and Western Slopes north from near Michelago and Wagga Wagga.

Notes

Perennial herb to about 0.60 m high. Stems somewhat angular, light grey, surface felt-like. . Leaves opposite or almost opposite each other, 0.5–11 cm long, 1–2 mm wide, **tomentose**, often sheathing at the base. Upper leaves sometimes **alternating** up the stems, usually **appressed** to the stems. Flower **heads** bright golden yellow, 5-14 mm long, 7-8 mm in diameter, globular to oval, with 0 'petals'. Flowering: late spring to autumn.

All native plants on unleased land in the ACT are protected.

PlantNET description: <http://plantnet.rbgsyd.nsw.gov.au/cgi-bin/NSWfl.pl?page=nswfl&lvl=sp&name=Calocephalus~citreus> (accessed 7 January, 2021)

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